

# Geese For The Farmer.

The profit occurring from a flock of geese makes no small addition to the income of the farm. Not only are geese valuable for the flesh but their feathers represent a fair money value. Practically the farmer has but two varieties to select from, the Toulouse and Embden if the best meat producers is to be the rule for selection of his stock.



TOULOUSE GEESSE.

A noted breeder in Massachusetts is said to be quite successful with two crosses, those made by mating an African gander and Embden geese and then crossing the young geese with a pure African gander. The other varieties, while some of them are hardy, are not large enough and do not make pounds enough of flesh for the early market.

The Toulouse head the list as susceptible to greater growth for extra care. They are good layers and their heavy bodies add to their being confined by a low fence. The Embden or Bremen although not quite so large as the Toulouse, have the advantage of being pure white. Their meat is white and delicate. They yield an abundance of valuable feathers all the more desirable on account of being white. Either the Toulouse or the Embden will be profitable with proper handling, yielding as they do two crops a year one of marketable goslings and another feathers.

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## In Fanciers Review.

### A Poultry Problem.

A Somerville man borrowed a neighbor's hen recently on the pretense that he wanted her to set. As soon as he got the hen he broke up the setting habit and got her to laying eggs. In the next six weeks she laid two dozen eggs. These he sold for 40 cents a dozen, and with the 80 cents he got for them he bought the hen. Now the question arises whether the original owner of the hen was fooled or not.—Somerville Journal.

### Making Grit.

Pound up all old, broken crockery dishes, etc., for the chickens. The best way is to take a piece of railway iron about 1 ft. long, and make a box without top or bottom, 1 ft. high, and just wide and long enough to fit neatly over the rail. Place the dishes, etc., in this mortar, and break up with an old ax or sledge. When done, remove box and let the chickens at the grit. Even pounded glass is said to be good for poultry.

—Agriculturist.

## SHE IS STILL DAZED.

Scotch Girl Emerges From Dependence to Become Heiress to Many Millions.

San Francisco, March 20.—In this city, hiding from notoriety, is Miss Elsie Tyson, recently confirmed as heiress to \$13,000,000 left by "Old Tyson," of Australia, an eccentric millionaire.

Elsie Tyson one year and one month ago was a dependent in the family of a Humboldt county rancher. There are few stranger stories than her change in a year from her household drudge to heiress. She is a plain-faced little Scotch girl, who has scarcely recovered from her wonder over her succession to so great a fortune. She says the money does not do her as much good as it would were her parents alive, but she is going to try to make many people in her old home happy.

### A Kansas Girl's Aspirations.

There was little of the idealistic about the essay of a Kansas girl at her recent graduation. Her teacher had given her for a theme the phrase, "Beyond the Alps Lie Italy." She astonished her preceptress and schoolmates by these emphatic words:

"I do not care whether Italy lies beyond the Alps, or even in Missouri. I do not expect to set the river on fire with my future career. I am glad to have a good, very good education, but I am not going to misuse it by writing poetry or essays about the future woman. It will enable me to correct the grammar of any lover I may have, should he speak of 'dorgs' in my presence, or say he went somewhere. It will also come handy when I want to figure out how many pounds of soap a woman get for three dozen eggs at the grocery. So I do not begrudge the time I spent in acquiring it. But my ambitions do not fly so high. I just want to marry a man who can lick anybody of his weight in the township, who can run an eighty-acre farm, and who has no female relatives to come around and try to boss the ranch. And I will agree to cook good dinners for him that won't send him to an early grave and lavish upon him a whole lot of wholesome affection, and see that his razor hasn't been used to cut broomwigs when he wants to shave. In view of all this, I don't care if I do get a little rusty on the rule of three and kindred things as the years go by."

### MORE INTIMIDATION.

Empty Passenger Coaches in The Mountains to Bring Powers' Friends.

London, Ky., March 21.—Five empty passenger coaches passed through here at daylight this morning. It is believed that a trainload of citizens from Barbourville, Pineville, Harlan and other mountain towns are going to Frankfort to-night to be present at the trial of Powers Friday. No passes have been distributed here. It is reported that Powers' friends have chartered the train.

Gen. Joe Wheeler's civil and military status has become a burning question at Washington.

Too many people are contented with the hire life.

## TOBACCO MARKET.

Quoted by J. H. Ferguson, of Cumming & Redman, Inc., (Incorporated) in New York City, dealer in and handler of leaf tobacco.

March 21, 1900.—There was no change to note in the market this week, prices were very firm and bidding spirited to the end and good demand for all grades on sale.

Mr. E. Morrow was on the breakers this week and was a free buyer from medium to fine leaf. Common leaf was from 1/4 to 1/2 higher over previous week. Common leaf and lugs composed the majority of the offerings; very few heads of good leaf are being offered.

Reached the highest point of the season this week going up to 10 1/2 on some of the best hhd's. The Regie buyers were free buyers this week, and look for large offerings from now on.

The loose market, since the rain have been very busy and active, but there is but very little more to come in of the loose.

### QUOTATIONS.

Trash Lugs.....	\$ 3 00@	3 50
Common lugs.....	3 50@	3 75
Medium lugs.....	3 75@	4 50
Good lugs.....	4 50@	5 00
Low Leaf.....	5 00@	5 50
Common leaf.....	5 50@	6 25
Medium leaf.....	6 25@	7 50
Good.....	8 25@	01 50

### WEEKLY REPORT.

Receipts for week.....	470	hhd's
" " year.....	37,95	hhd's
Sales " week.....	290	"
" " year.....	13,38	hhd's
Offerings for week.....	398	"
Rejections " ".....	68	"

### NEW GAME LAW.

Such Is The Fame Kentucky Now Enjoys.

The following are Kentucky's game laws, as sprung by a Northern exchange:—

Plain citizens may be shot from January 1st to December 31st. Senators, Governors and members of Congress may be shot during any political campaign and within sixty days thereafter.

Niggers can be shot any time. Hunters in search of this game are also allowed to use a stuffed club or a butcher knife.

If any man is caught drinking water it is a sign that he is no gentleman, sah, and may be executed with whatever weapon is nearest at hand.

Colonels may be shot with impunity at any time; while a squirrel gun is recommended for dispatching majors and captains.

No man shall be allowed to kill in excess of six persons per day. In cases where it is an affair of honor this number may be increased to 103.

Every citizen who does not tote the remains of his victim from public sight within forty-eight hours of the time the first volley is fired will be fined one gallon of moonshine.

Any citizen who steps on another citizen's toes may be shot on the spot, with the privilege of apologizing thereafter.

If a citizen leaves home half shot and is found on the street a short time thereafter full of buck shot that is his fault, and his relatives are not allowed to shoot more than seventeen suspects in their efforts to find the guilty person.

### The Bible in Verse.

These lines were composed by the Rev. Dr. Stoughton, a distinguished Baptist minister, who was a pastor in Philadelphia, and then President of Columbia College in Washington City where he died in 1820.

The great Jehovah speaks to us, In Genesis and Exodus, Leviticus and Numbers, see, Followed by Deuteronomy, Joshua and Judges saw the land, Ruth gleams a sheaf with trembling hand, Samuel and numerous king appear, Ezra and Nehemiah now, Esther the beautiful mourner show; Job speaks in sighs, David in psalm, The Proverbs teach to scatter aims; Ecclesiastes then come on, and the sweet songs of Solomon, Isaiah, Jeremiah, then.

With Lamentations takes his pen; Ezekiel, Daniel, Hosea's lyres, Swell Joel, Amos, Odediah's, Next Jonah, Micah, Nahum come, And lofty Habakkuk finds rooms; While Zephaniah, Haggai calls. Rapt Zachariah builds his walls—And Malachi with garments rent, Concludes the Ancient Testament.

## SOUTH CHRISTIAN.

A Batch of Items of News From Bennettstown.

Bennettstown, March 21.—We are very sorry to chronicle the death of Mrs. Gabe Atkinson, of Lafayette. She leaves four children, all of whom are grown. She had many friends in our neighborhood who extend their heart felt sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mrs. J. A. Boyd is critically ill of La Grippe.

We are glad to report that Mr. John Southall, the lively merchant of this place is convalescent.

Mrs. Carden Coleman and son James are visiting relatives in Clarksville this week.

Miss Josephine Stevenson spent last week with her sister Mrs. Charlie Southall of Lafayette.

Mr. Will Carter and wife, of Church Hill, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at this place. Miss Queenie Moss spent several days with Miss Carrie King.

Mrs. W. Stevenson and children spent last week with her mother Mrs. M. A. Stevenson.

Mr. W. Stevenson who has been at Dawson for some time returned home Friday greatly improved.

Misses Carrie King, of Church Hill, and Lillie Watson, of Gracey, were the pleasant guests of Miss Minnie Brame. A SCHOOL GIRL.

### HENRY OVERSTREET

Can't See How A Decent Man Can Vote the Republican Ticket.

The current issue of the Dixon Journal contains the following:

By permission, we publish below a letter written by Mr. H. G. Overstreet, of Owensboro, to W. E. Bourland, of this place.

Mr. Overstreet has been a life-long Republican of the stalwart type, and has always stood high in his party. He was a delegate to the national convention that nominated McKinley in 1896, and he is one of the most prominent and successful business men in Owensboro. He and Mr. Bourland have long been intimate personal and political friends, and we gladly welcome them both into the ranks of the Democratic party. The letter:

Owensboro, Ky., March 1, 1900: Hon. W. E. Bourland, Dixon, Ky. My Dear Sir and Friend—I have just read your card to the press, of the 20th ult., published in this morning's Messenger. I know of no language that will express my feelings after reading your letter. Suffice it to say, I endorse every word you say from start to finish. I am with you heart and soul. How any decent man can vote the Republican ticket in Kentucky, hereafter, is a mystery to me. But you have said all that can be said on that subject, and said it so well that I feel I can add nothing to it. I should like to see you and have a good long talk with you over matters and things in general, and hope to do so soon. Your friend, H. G. Overstreet.

### History of the Kentucky War.

Three newspaper men of this city are on the point of publishing a book on the political situation in Kentucky, the remarkable events of the picturesque campaign for Governor being, so they believe, of wide interest. They are almost ready for press with what they intend to be a nonpartisan account of the things that have placed Kentucky news on a par with that from South Africa. "That Kentucky Campaign," the title of their book, has been copyrighted, and the story will begin with nominations of candidates by the several parties and follow their fortunes up to the current date. Those interested in the plan are R. E. Hughes, Eustace L. Williams and F. W. Schaefer, all of whom have seen the campaign at close range.

The book will appear in handsome shape, embellished with illustrations of the leading figures and incidents of the great conflict.—Courier-Journal.

### Solidified Jags.

One of the latest German inventions is beer lozenges. These are made of the powder obtained by evaporating lager beer, and contain all the ingredients of this beverage. The only needful thing to turn them into a sparkling ale is to dissolve them in water to which some carbonic acid gas has been added.

## MRS. BREWER RECOMMENDS PERUNA FOR CRIP AND FEMALE CATARRH.



The Home of Mrs. Lizzie M. Brewer at Westery, R. I.

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## GUILTY OR NOT GUILTY. DISEASED MEN CURED

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SNATCHED FROM THE GRAVE. A Warning from the Living. "At doctors and nerve tonics by the score without benefit; emissions and drainage increased. I became a nervous wreck. A friend who had been cured by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan of a similar disease, advised me to try them. I did so and in two months was positively cured. This was eight years ago. I am now married and have two healthy children."—C. W. LEWIS, Saginaw.

VARICOCELE CURED. "Varicocele made life miserable. I was weak and nervous. Drs. Kennedy & Kergan cured me in a few weeks."—L. L. PETERSON, Iowa.

EMISSIONS CURED. J. P. EMERSON relates his experience. "I lived on a farm, a farm. At school I learned an early habit, which I learned to 'decline' (consumption). Finally 'The Golden Monitor' edited by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan, fell into my hands. I took the New Method Treatment and was cured. My friends think I was cured of consumption. I have sent them many pamphlets, all of whom were cured. Their New Method Treatment supplies vigor, vitality and manhood."

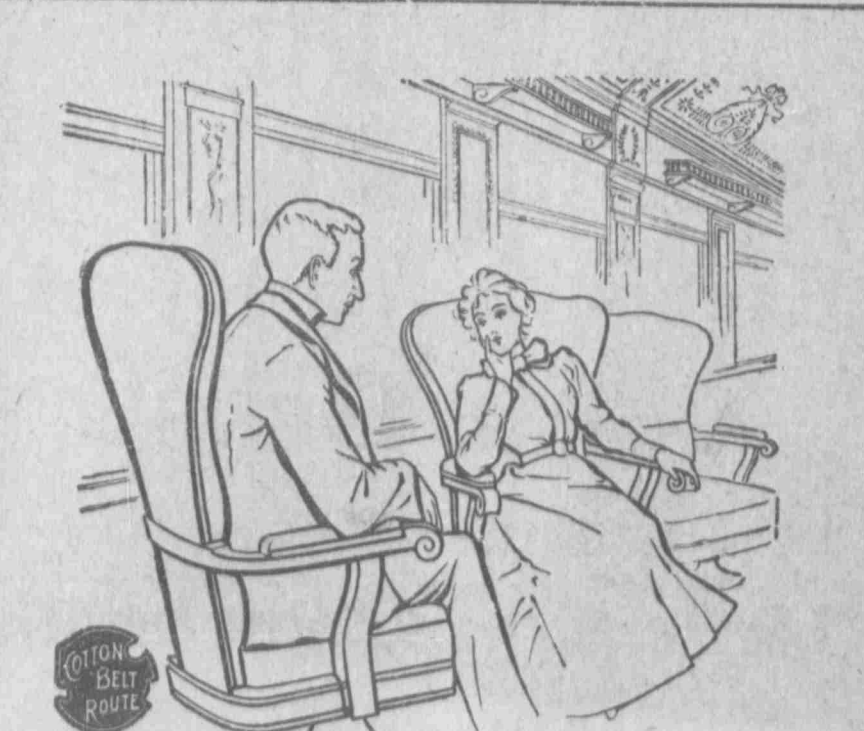
SYPHILIS CURED. "This terrible blood disease was in my system for eight years. Eyes red, pimples and blotches on the skin, ulcers in the mouth and on tongue, bone pains, falling out of hair, weakness, etc. My brother, who had been cured of Gleet and Stricture by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan, recommended them. They cured me in a few weeks, and I thank God I consulted them. No return of the disease in six years."—W. P. M., Jackson.

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